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It is reported that Julio Pena, general manager and director of the Banco Nacional of Costa Rica, who is en route to London to attend the International Bank Conference, will seek a \$10,000,000 loan. Part of the money, it is alleged, will be used to expropriate electric power properties owned by American extizen John Saxe, with similar expropriation projects planned if this one is sceessful.

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